

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Patent Application of)
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AOKI et al.)
) Art Unit 2638
Application Number: 10/083,617)
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Filed: February 27, 2002)
) Examiner Hanh Phan
For: OPTICAL TRANSMITTER, OPTICAL RECEIVER,)
AND MANUFACTURING METHOD OF OPTICAL)
DEVICE)
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Attorney Docket No. NITT.0068)

**Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**

COVER LETTER

Sir:

[x] The fee for submission of claims is calculated as shown below:

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Independent Claims	3	3	(Over 3)	x \$200	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)				+ \$360	0
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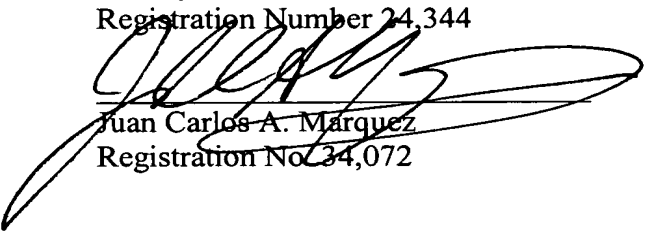
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[x] Response/Amendment (with claim amendments)	[] Petition for Extension of Time (month)
[] Preliminary Amendment	[] Information Disclosure Statement
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[] Request for Continued Examination	[x] 4 sheets of drawings
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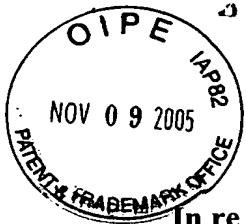
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated August 9, 2005, in the above identified application, the period of response to which is set to expire on November 9, 2005. Please amend the above identified application as follows: